# Medical Reserve Corps Training Curriculum for Physicians

Topic	Who Should Attend	By When	Format	Notes
Orientation & Personal and Family Emergency Preparedness	Physicians	3 months after Registration Date	Classroom instruction	Trainings with be held at 1075 Mullins Station Road or other designated location. Email notifications will be sent to volunteers notifying them of the training dates. Instructional facilitators: Jennifer Price and Beverly Watkins. Meet core competencies #1, #2, #5 & #8
IS-100.a: Introduction to Incident Command System	Physicians	3 months after Registration Date	Web-based Training - Self- study	Each course will earn 3 FREE CME hours  http://training.fema.gov/emiweb/is/is100a.asp  Meet core competencies #3 & #4
IS-200.a ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents	Physicians	Optional	Web-based Training - Self- study	Each course will earn 3 FREE CME hours  http://training.fema.gov/emiweb/is/is200a.asp  Meet core competencies #3 & #4
IS-700.a: National Incident Management System (NIMS), An Introduction	Physicians	3 months after Registration Date	Web-based Training - Self- study	Each course will earn 3 FREE CME hours  http://training.fema.gov/emiweb/is/is700a.asp  Meet core competencies #3 & #4
IS-800.B National Response Framework, An Introduction	Physicians	Optional	Web-based Training - Self- study	Each course will earn 3 FREE CME hours  http://training.fema.gov/emiweb/is/is800b.asp  Meet core competencies #3 & #4

Physicians must take the online course through FEMA. At the end of each course, they will be able to print off a certificate which can be submitted to the New York State Medical Society. Include a copy of the completion certificates for each module and request they send the AMA category 1 certificates. It can be mailed, faxed or emailed. MSSNY will then send the individual CME verification.

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#### **Course Overview**

### **Orientation & Personal and Family Emergency Preparedness**

This training gives volunteers a basic understanding of the Public Health Emergency Preparedness Program's, Public Health Reserve Corps/ Medical Reserve Corps. It explains emergency preparedness, bioterrorism, and the role of the volunteer. This the foundation of other courses to follow.

# IS-100.a, Introduction to the Incident Command System

ICS 100.a, Introduction to the Incident Command System, introduces the Incident Command System (ICS) and provides the foundation for higher level ICS training. This course describes the history, features and principles, and organizational structure of the Incident Command System. It also explains the relationship between ICS and the National Incident Management System (NIMS).

The Emergency Management Institute developed ICS 100, Introduction to ICS (IS-100) course, in collaboration with:

- National Wildfire Coordinating Group (NWCG)
- U.S. Department of Agriculture
- USFA's National Fire Programs Branch

# IS-200.a, ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (Optional)

ICS 200.a is designed to enable personnel to operate efficiently during an incident or event within the Incident Command System (ICS). ICS-200 provides training on and resources for personnel who are likely to assume a supervisory position within the ICS. The Emergency Management Institute developed ICS 200, Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (IS-200) course, in collaboration with:

- National Wildfire Coordinating Group (NWCG)
- U.S. Department of Agriculture
- USFA's National Fire Programs Branch

This is the second in a series of ICS courses designed to meet the all-hazard, all-agency NIMS ICS requirement for operational personnel.

## IS-700.a National Incident Management System (NIMS), An Introduction

This course introduces NIMS and takes approximately three hours to complete. It explains the purpose, principles, key components and benefits of NIMS. The course also contains "Planning Activity" screens giving you an opportunity to complete some planning tasks during this course. The planning activity screens are printable so that you can use them after you complete the course.

What will I be able to accomplish when I finish this course?

- Describe the key concepts and principles underlying NIMS.
- Identify the benefits of using ICS as the National Incident Management model.
- Describe when it is appropriate to institute an Area Command.
- Describe when it is appropriate to institute a Multiagency Coordination System.
- Describe the benefits of using a Joint Information System (JIS) for public information.
- Identify the ways in which NIMS affects preparedness.
- Describe how NIMS affects how resources are managed.
- Describe the advantages of common communication and information management systems.
- Explain how NIMS influences technology and technology systems.
- Describe the purpose of the NIMS Integration Center

# IS-800.B National Response Framework, An Introduction (Optional)

This course will introduce participants to the concepts and principles of the NRF. The intended audience is government executives (such as senior elected and appointed leaders, Governors, Mayors, tribal leaders, and county and municipal officials), private-sector, and non-governmental organization leaders, and emergency management practitioners.

Senior leaders, emergency management practitioners, disaster workers, and first responders who have previously completed IS-800 or IS-800.A are not required to complete IS-800.B as part of NIMS compliance activities. However, we strongly encourage everyone to do so.

The course introduces participants to the concepts and principles of the National Response Framework.

At the end of this course, you will be able to describe:

- The purpose of the National Response Framework.
- The response doctrine established by the National Response Framework.
- The roles and responsibilities of entities as specified in the National Response Framework.
- The actions that support national response.
- The response organizations used for multiagency coordination.
- How planning relates to national preparedness.